

From: Cass Wild [<mailto:carinda66@gmail.com>]
Sent: Friday, February 24, 2017 3:29 PM
To: Stein, Kris -FS <krisstein@fs.fed.us>
Subject: Re: Lostine Corridor Project

Kris,

Thank you so much for talking with me yesterday concerning the Lostine Corridor Project. I have read much of the information you have provided through the forest service website. After much consideration and some investigation I still have some grave concerns about this project. The Nez Perce and the Hells Canyon Preservation Council said it best in their comments to you last year. There has not been an Environmental Assessment (EA) and I think that is absolutely necessary for those of us who live and/or own property in this corridor. I also still share the same concerns for the health of the streams and the impact the "spur" roads will have on this environment. I still believe that this has not been a transparent and Collaborative Project. I really hope that it does turn into a collaborative project. I just have to say that it appears that this is still going to be a logging project which also incorporates fuel reduction and improvement to the safety of the corridor. I do not think that healthy stands of trees should be thinned and logged for profit or for "local markets" as stated on the website. Please know that I am open to more discussion and want to be a part of a productive solution to the problems presented by the Lostine Corridor Project.

Sincerely,

Carrie Roth

On Thu, Feb 23, 2017 at 2:05 PM, Stein, Kris -FS <krisstein@fs.fed.us> wrote:

<https://www.fs.usda.gov/project/?project=48592>

here you go



Kris Stein
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From: Carrie [mailto:carinda66@gmail.com]

Sent: Tuesday, February 21, 2017 1:45 PM

To: Stein, Kris -FS <krisstein@fs.fed.us>

Subject: Re: Lostine Corridor Project

Thank you! I have time on weds to give you a call. Let me know what time works for you!
Carrie

Sent from my iPhone

On Feb 21, 2017, at 11:38 AM, Stein, Kris -FS <krisstein@fs.fed.us> wrote:

Cass - thanks for reaching out to me about your concerns. Our primary interest is in serving folks like you in our communities and I would like to follow up this email with a visit over the phone. I have some time available Wednesday or Thursday – let me know if you have time on either of those days.

Kris

<image001.png> **Kris Stein**
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From: Cass Wild [<mailto:carinda66@gmail.com>]
Sent: Saturday, February 18, 2017 9:46 AM
To: Stein, Kris -FS <krisstein@fs.fed.us>
Subject: Lostine Corridor Project

Hello Kris,

I imagine you may not be at work on Saturday but I just wanted to reach out to you to let you know my concerns pertaining to the proposed logging and clearing in the Lostine Corridor.

My husband and I own property near the Lostine river, which we have had for over 20 years now. We love this pristine area and understand how important it is to preserve it. We really would like you to take your time with the logging/clearing proposal and involve us in the community who will be greatly impacted by this project. I understand that there needs to be cleaning up of the area for fire safety etc., but I do hope you will do an environmental impact study first and listen to the concerns of the people who live there and/or own property there.

One of my concerns is that we have not been given full and consistent information about the extent of the project and its impact on the area. I am also concerned that the Forest Service is proposing an aggressive logging project that is sidestepping basic public process. Please respond to this email or feel free to call me at [503-234-2580](tel:503-234-2580) to discuss what we can do to work collaboratively with the FS to make this a productive land and forest management project, and not an opportunity for over logging and destruction to the streams and ecosystem of this area.

Sincerely,

Carrie Roth

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